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MS PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b), is a Continuation application of PCT International Application No. PCT/EP02/07064 filed on June 6, 2002. The present application is filed on behalf of the inventor(s) according to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.41(c).

Inventors: TOVEY, Michael

For: TRANSCRIPTIONAL REGULATOR OF GENES INVOLVED IN THE CONTROL OF CELL GROWTH OR CELL PROLIFERATION. USE OF SAID REGULATOR AS A THERAPEUTIC OR DIAGNOSTIC AGENT.

Enclosed are:

- A specification consisting of fifty-six (56) pages
- Twenty-eight (28) sheet(s) of formal drawings
- Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.
- Applicant does not claim priority

Applicant claims the right of priority under the provisions of 35 U.S.C. § 119 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.55(a) based on Application No(s). 01401476.5 filed in Europe on June 7, 2001.

Certified copy(ies) is(are) attached hereto.
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Priority of PCT International Application No. PCT/EP02/07064 filed on June 6, 2002 is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 120.

Executed Declaration in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.64 will follow

An assignment of the invention

Preliminary Amendment

Information Disclosure Statement w/PTO-1449 and reference(s)

Other: Information Sheet

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